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SUBJECT: ARTICLE XIX CONSULTATIONS WITH CANADA: GARMENTS

1. FOLLOWING TEXT OF LETTER FROM GEIMER TO HALLIDAY OF
CANADIAN EMBASSY TRANSMITTED FOR YOUR ACTION RE PARA 2:

2. BEGIN TEXT: I REFER TO YOUR MEETING WITH BILL BARRA-
CLOUGH OF NOVEMBER 29 ADVISING US OF THE IMPOSITION OF
QUOTAS ON A VERY WIDE RANGE OF APPAREL ITEMS AND OF
CANADA'S WILLINGNESS TO ENTER INTO CONSULTATIONS WITH
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RESPECT TO THIS ACTION IN ACCORDANCE WITH ARTICLE XIX:2
OF THE GATT.

YOUR WILLINGNESS TO ENTER INTO SUCH CONSULTATIONS IS OF
COURSE WELCOMED. WE HAVE INSTRUCTED OUR DELEGATION IN
GENEVA TO INFORM THE CANADIAN DELEGATION THERE THAT THE

U.S. CONSIDERS ITSELF TO BE A SUBSTANTIAL SUPPLIER OF
THESE ITEMS AND OF OUR INTEREST IN SUCH CONSULTATIONS.
WE ESTIMATE CANADIAN IMPORTS FROM THE U.S. IN 1975 IN THE
ITEMS AFFECTED TO HAVE BEEN C50,129,000 DOLS.

IN VIEW OF THE VERY SIGNIFICANT AMOUNT OF TRADE INVOLVED,
WE LOOK FORWARD TO CONSULTATIONS IN WASHINGTON WHICH COULD

BEGIN EARLY IN THE NEW YEAR AND PREFERABLY PRIOR TO
JANUARY 10. END TEXT.
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